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In re Application of:)
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For: LOCK MECHANISM OF TABLE OF ELECTRIC STAPLER) Mail Stop Amendment

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Sir:

AMENDMENT

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated September 25, 2009, the period of response that extends through December 28, 2009 (December 25, 2009 being a holiday and the following day being a Saturday), please amend the above identified application as follows: